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ANNUAL REPORTS

— OF THE —

Selectmen

And Other Town Officers

Lempster, New Hampshire



FOR THE YEAR ENDING

JANUARY 31, 1930

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TOWN OFFICERS

F. A. Barton	Moderator
Samuel S. Harris	Clerk
Lucius H. Nichols	Selectman
Arthur L. Benway	Selectman
Frank M. Lovejoy	Selectman
Lucy E. Smith	Treasurer
Hubert C. Hartwell	Collector
A. L. Benway	Overseer of Poor
Jacob Wanner	Police
Fred A. Barton	Fire Warden
Fred M. Clark	Road Agent
Frank H. Hodgman	Road Agent
Hubert C. Hartwell, Jr.	Road Agent
Harold B. Nichols	Supervisor
Thomas F. Bluitte	Supervisor
Susie B. Hurd	Auditor

TOWN WARRANT

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

(L. S.)

To the inhabitants of the Town of Lempster in the County of Sullivan in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Lempster on Tuesday, the eleventh day of March next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriation of the same.
3. To choose Delegates to the Constitutional Convention.
4. To see what sum of money the town will raise to keep the common mowed around the Soldiers' Monument, at Lempster Street.
5. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the Maintenance of the Trunk Line Road.
6. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the Maintenance of the State Aid Road.
7. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for State Aid Construction.
8. To see if the town will vote to allow the selectmen to deliver blank inventories at the time they appraise the property for taxation.
9. To see what sum of money the town will raise for the prevention of White Pine Blister Rust.
10. To see what sum of money the town will raise or appropriate for Old Home Day and Memorial Day.
11. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise for the Library.
12. To see if the town will vote to reinsure the Town Hall and Union Hall.

13. To see if the town will authorize the selectmen to borrow money for the town in anticipation of taxes.

14. To see if the town will vote to have Union Hall wired for electric lights and raise money therefor.

15. To see if the town will vote to raise money to repair and paint Valley Hall.

16. To see if the town will vote to raise money to purchase a typewriter.

17. To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to lay out the money received from the state for repairs of class 5 highways, and pass any vote in relation thereto.

18. To see what sum of money the town will raise to shingle the Town Shed.

19. To see if the town will vote to limit the Road Agents to the appropriations.

20. To transact any other business that may legally come before said meeting.

Given under our hands and seal, this twenty-second day of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and thirty.

LUCIUS H. NICHOLS,
ARTHUR L. BENWAY,
FRANK M. LOVEJOY,

Selectmen of Lempster.

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

LUCIUS H. NICHOLS,
ARTHUR L. BENWAY,
FRANK M. LOVEJOY,

Selectmen of Lempster.

BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF LEMPSTER

Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing year January 31, 1930, to January 31, 1931, compared with actual Revenue and Expenditures of the previous year January 31, 1929 to January 31, 1930.

Sources of Revenue:

	Actual 1929	Est. 1930
From State:		
Taxes on land owned by State	\$ 12.13	\$ 12.00
Insurance Tax	5.25	5.25
Snow removal	60.11	
Savings Bank Tax	150.25	150.00
Bounties	125.80	100.00
For Fighting Forest Fires	6.80	
For Highways: Classified Highways	1,569.92	1,600.00
(a) For State Aid Maintenance	885.95	1,500.00
(b) For Trunk Line Maintenance	4,837.36	5,500.00
Interest and Dividend Tax	.68	.70
Flood Damage	143.38	
From Local Sources Except Taxes:		
All Licenses and Permits except Dog		
Licenses	463.70	400.00
Rent on School Land	4.84	14.00
Rent of Town Hall and Other Buildings	16.00	15.00
Interest Received on Taxes and Deposits	41.52	45.00
Income of Departments: Highways,		
Tractor	335.56	300.00
From County	162.00	35.00
H. C. Hartwell Dynamite	1.41	
A. Johansen, Plowing Snow	1.50	
Dog Licenses	122.40	120.00
From Poll Taxes:	186.00	200.00
From other taxes except property taxes:		
(a) National Bank Stock	15.00	15.00
Tax Sales Redeemed	31.15	30.00
Revenue Applicable only to New Construction and Improvements:		
From State:		
(a) For State Aid Highway Construction	271.13	300.00

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Amount Raised by Issue of Bonds or Notes:

First National Bank	8,000.00	8,000.00
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Total Revenues from all Sources Except

Property Taxes	17,449.84	
Amount Raised by Property Taxes:	9,885.59	9,500.00
Taxes Previous Year Collected	1,241.48	1,200.00
Total Revenues:	\$28,576.91	

PURPOSES OF EXPENDITURES

Current Maintenance Expenses:

	Actual 1929	Est. 1930
General Government:		
Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 495.28	500.00
Town Officers' Expenses	152.86	155.00
Election and Registration Expenses	12.00	25.00
Care and Supplies for Town Hall	113.11	200.00
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Bounties	108.60	100.00
Police Department	16.00	16.00
Fire Department	13.60	
Pine Blister Rust	200.00	
Printing Rewards	2.25	
Health:		
Health Department	25.50	25.00
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Maintenance		
State's Contribution		1,500.00
Town's Contribution	1,983.78	500.00
Trunk Line Maintenance		
State's Contribution	6,645.01	8,500.00
Town's Contribution		500.00
Town Maintenance	4,775.67	4,000.00
Tractor Repairs	660.05	500.00
General Expense of Highway Department	850.42	800.00
Education:		
Libraries	50.00	50.00
Charities:		
County Poor	113.70	40.00

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Town Poor	411.48	400.00
Patriotic Purposes:		
Memorial Day and Other Celebrations	13.75	15.00
Mowing Common	18.65	18.00
Old Home Day	25.00	15.00
Public Service Enterprises:		
Cemeteries	41.50	50.00
Unclassified: Legal Expense	19.00	19.00
Taxes Bought by Town	14.80	14.80
Running Lines	115.00	
Interest:		
On Temporary Loans	777.29	800.00
Outlay for New Construction and		
Permanent Improvements:		
State Aid Construction		
State's Contribution	659.82	457.00
Town's Contribution		457.50
New Buildings	98.60	
Indebtedness:		
Payment on Principal of Debt		
(a) Long Term Notes	5,500	6,000.00
Payments to Other Divisions:		
State Taxes	655.20	655.20
County Taxes	786.58	786.58
Payments to School Districts	2,842.83	2,842.83
Total Expenditures	<hr/> \$28,196.71	

REPORT OF SELECTMEN

Land and buildings	\$237,755.00
Horses, 82	4,489.00
Oxen, 2	240.00
Cows, 170	10,820.00
Neat Stock, 31	1,340.00
Sheep, 37	266.00
Fowls, 517	517.00
Portable Mills, 4	2,400.00
Wood and Lumber	39,566.00
Gasoline Pumps and Tanks	1,200.00
Stock in Trade	1,800.00
Mill and Machinery	5,350.00

\$305,743.00

Soldiers' Exemption \$ 2,645.00

Taxes Committed to Collector

Poll Taxes	\$ 274.00
Resident Taxes	4,563.31
Non-Resident Taxes	7,054.92
Bank Tax	15.00

\$ 11,907.23

Rate of Taxation, \$38.00 per M.

APPROPRIATIONS 1929

County Tax	\$ 786.58	
State Tax	655.20	
Town Charges	4,000.00	
Trunk Line Maintenance	1,400.00	
State Aid Maintenance	1,100.00	
Repair on Union Hall	100.00	
Mowing around Soldiers' Monument	20.00	
State Aid Construction	435.00	
White Pine Blister Rust	200.00	
Old Home Day	25.00	
Memorial Day	25.00	
Library	50.00	
Road Machine	600.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 9,396.78

SCHOOL DISTRICT

Five Dollars per M on Equalized Valuation		\$ 1,872.81
Officers' Salaries	\$ 100.00	
Truant Officer and School Census	6.20	
Superintendent's Excess Salary	128.58	
Per Capita Tax	108.00	
Tuition in High School	500.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 842.78
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Grand Total		\$ 2,715.59
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		\$12,112.37

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ASSETS

Cash in Treasury	\$ 1,555.52	
Taxes Uncollected, 1928	282.90	
Taxes Uncollected, 1929	1,733.52	
Due from State Unexpended Trunk Line	1,860.14	
Due from State Unexpended State Aid	243.73	
Due from County	31.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 5,707.51

LIABILITIES

First National Bank	\$10,000.00	
Unexpended Balance Cement Bridge	6.55	
Unexpended Balance Memorial Day	11.25	
Unexpended Balance Trunk Line in State Treasury	1,860.14	
Unexpended Balance Town Treasury	310.02	
Unexpended Balance Raised for Union Hall	85.54	
Unexpended Balance State Aid State Treasury	243.73	
Unexpended Balance State Aid Town Treasury	243.73	
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Total Liabilities		\$12,760.96
Total Assets		\$ 5,707.51
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Net Debt February 1, 1930		\$ 7,053.45
Increase of Debt	\$ 2,150.48	

REPORT OF TOWN CLERK

1929

Male Dogs licensed for full year, 39	\$ 78.00
Female Dogs licensed for full year, 11	55.00
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	\$133.00
Fees retained, 50	10.00
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Paid to Treasurer	\$123.00
One hundred and five auto permits were issued by the clerk, for which he received and paid to the Treasurer	\$298.88
Forty-five auto permits were issued by the clerk, for Jan. 1930, for which he collected and turned over to the Treasurer	\$164.22

SAMUEL S. HARRIS, Town Clerk.

TREASURER'S REPORT

Amount in Treasury, Feb. 1, 1929	\$ 1,175.32
Hubert C. Hartwell, 1927 Tax	153.50
Hubert C. Hartwell, interest on 1927 tax	13.37
Hubert C. Hartwell, 1928 tax	1,087.98
Hubert C. Hartwell, interest on 1928 tax	22.55
Hubert C. Hartwell, 1929 tax	10,086.59
Hubert C. Hartwell, interest on 1929 tax	5.60
Samuel S. Harris, auto permits	463.70
Samuel S. Harris, dog tax	122.40
Arthur L. Benway, Overseer of Poor	162.00
Ernest F. Cutler, use of tractor on S. A.	25.56
Ernest F. Cutler, use of tractor on T. L.	210.00
Lucius H. Nichols, use of tractor on T. L. & S. A.	100.00
State of New Hampshire, T. L. Maintenance	4,837.36
State S. A. Maintenance	885.95
State Insurance Tax	5.25
State Savings Bank Tax	150.25
State distribution of tax on interest and dividends	.68
State, State Aid Construction	271.13
State, Bounty on hedgehogs	125.80
State, Classified Maintenance	1,569.92
State, snow removal	60.11
State Highway Department, labor, July 7-14 and May 12, 1928	143.38
State Forestry Department	6.80
State, Abatement, State Tax	12.13
Tax Sales, land redeemed by George E. Lewis	31.15
Lucius H. Nichols, rent of Valley Hall	15.00
Samuel S. Harris, rent of Union Hall	1.00
Mr. Johanson, breaking roads	1.50
International Paper Co., rent on school land	4.84
Hubert C. Hartwell, dynamite, caps and fuse	1.41
First National Bank, notes by town	8,000.00
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Total Receipts	\$29,752.23
Less Selectmen's Orders	\$28,196.71
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Amount in Treasury, Feb. 1, 1930	\$ 1,555.52
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LUCY E. SMITH, Treasurer.

SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

From Local Taxes:

Poll and Property Taxes

Committed to Collect-	
or	\$11,907.23
Less Abatements	87.12
Less Uncollected	1,733.52

Property Tax, Current

year collected	\$9,885.59
Poll Taxes, Current year	
collected	186.00
Property and Poll Taxes	
collected previous year	1,241.48
National Bank Stock	15.00

\$11,328.07

From the State:

State Aid Maintenance	\$ 885.95
State Aid Construction	271.13
Trunk Line Maintenance	4,837.36
For Town Highways	1,569.92
Savings Bank Tax	150.25
Insurance Tax	5.25
Tax on interest and dividends	.68
Bounties	125.80
Snow removal	60.11
Flood Money	143.38
Forestry Department	6.80
Tax on land owned by state	12.13

\$ 8,068.76

From Local Sources Except Taxes:

Permits from motor vehicles	\$ 463.70
Dog licenses	122.40
County	162.00
Use of tractor, state aid	25.56
Use of tractor, trunk line	210.00
L. H. Nichols	100.00
Rent of halls	16.00
Land redeemed by G. E. Lewis	31.15

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A. Johanan for road plowing	1.50	
Rent on school land	4.84	
Hubert C. Hartwell	1.41	
Interest on taxes	41.52	
Cash on hand, Feb. 1, 1929	1,175.32	
Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes	8,000.00	
		<u>\$10,355.40</u>
Total Receipts from all Resources		\$29,752.23

SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

Town Officers' Salaries	\$ 495.28	
Town Officers' Expenses	152.86	
Election and Registration Expenses	12.00	
Expense of Town Halls	113.11	
		<u>\$ 773.25</u>
Protection of Persons and Property:		
Police Department	\$ 16.00	
Fire Department	13.60	
Blister Rust	200.00	
Printing Reward Notices	2.25	
Bounties	108.60	
		<u>\$ 340.45</u>
Health:		
Health Department	\$ 25.50	
		<u>\$ 25.50</u>
Highways and Bridges:		
State Aid Maintenance	\$1,938.78	
Trunk Line Maintenance	6,645.01	
Town Highways	4,775.67	
General Highway Expense	850.42	
		<u>\$14,254.88</u>
Library:		
Town Library	\$ 50.00	
		<u>\$ 50.00</u>
Charities:		
Overseer of Poor	\$ 525.18	
		<u>\$ 525.18</u>

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Public Service Enterprises:

Cemeteries	\$ 41.50	\$ 41.50
Patriotic Purposes	\$ 57.40	\$ 57.40
Unclassified	\$ 148.18	\$ 148.18
Interest	\$ 777.29	\$ 777.29
New Construction:		
State Aid Construction	\$ 659.82	
Tool Shed	98.60	
Tractor Repairs and Gas	660.05	
	<hr/>	\$ 1,418.47
Indebtedness:		
Paid on Loans	\$5,500.00	\$ 5,500.00
Payment of Governmental Divisions:		
State Tax	\$ 655.20	
County Tax	786.58	
Payments to School Districts	2,842.83	
	<hr/>	\$ 4,284.61
Total Payments for all Purposes		<hr/> \$28,196.71

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

Susie B. Hurd, Auditor	\$ 5.00
L. H. Nichols, Selectman	100.00
A. L. Benway, Selectman	75.00
F. M. Lovejoy, Selectman	75.00
Lucy E. Smith, Treasurer	50.00
H. C. Hartwell, Collector 1% of 1927 tax	1.53
S. S. Harris, Town Clerk	35.00
S. S. Harris, auto permit fees	25.75
S. S. Harris, recording Vital Statistics	1.25
F. A. Barton, Moderator	3.00
A. L. Benway, Overseer of Poor	12.00
H. C. Hartwell, Collector 1% of 1928 tax	10.88
H. C. Hartwell, Collector 1% of 1929 tax	100.87
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: 0;"/> \$ 495.28

TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

E. C. Eastman, warrants	\$.35
Lillian Hartwell, typing reports	3.00
H. B. Metcalf, printing reports	100.00
H. B. Metcalf, checklists	10.00
Jennet Clark, postage and envelopes	2.85
E. C. Eastman, supplies	.95
C. W. Rounsevel, transfers	2.00
E. C. Eastman, supplies	8.45
A. L. Benway, tax commission meeting	5.00
F. M. Lovejoy, tax commission meeting	5.00
S. S. Harris, Town Clerk supplies	7.76
H. C. Hartwell, assession meeting	7.50
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: 0;"/> \$ 152.86

ELECTION AND REGISTRATION EXPENSES

H. B. Nichols, Supervisor	\$ 6.00
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T. F. Bluitte, Supervisor	6.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 12.00

TOWN HALL AND UNION HALL

A. L. Benway, wood	\$ 10.00	
Susie B. Hurd, insurance on halls	22.75	
W. G. Farr, tuning piano	5.00	
A. L. Benway, cash paid for wall board	2.88	
Charles F. Clark, labor	7.56	
Silsby & Johnson, supplies	2.20	
S. S. Harris, repairing town hall windows	35.54	
S. S. Harris, supplies for Union Hall	11.16	
L. H. Nichols, janitor	12.00	
R. F. Pollard, labor	4.02	
	<hr/>	\$ 113.11

PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

F. A. Barton, Fire Warden	\$ 9.00	
G. E. Currier, Fire Warden	4.60	
J. H. Foster, State Forester, white pine blister rust	200.00	
Argus Champion, printing reward notices	2.25	
H. B. Frye, special police	6.00	
Jacob Wanner, police	5.00	
Jacob Wanner, dog police	5.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 231.85

BOUNTIES

L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	\$ 13.60	
L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	13.80	
A. L. Benway, hedgehogs	14.00	
F. M. Lovejoy, hedgehogs	3.60	
L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	5.40	
L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	4.20	
L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	5.60	
F. M. Lovejoy, hedgehogs	30.40	
A. L. Benway, hedgehogs	9.40	
L. H. Nichols, hedgehogs	8.60	
	<hr/>	\$ 108.60

HEALTH

William M. Robb, M. D., investigating contagious diseases	\$ 10.00
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Jacob Wanner, Health Officer	15.50	
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LIBRARY

Amount voted by town	\$ 50.00	
		\$ 50.00

CHARITIES

A. L. Benway, Overseer of Poor	\$ 525.18	
		\$ 525.18

PATRIOTIC PURPOSES

Susie Benway, Memorial Day	\$ 13.75	
Lucy E. Smith, Old Home Day	25.00	
Guy E. Currier, mowing Common	18.65	
	<hr/>	\$ 57.40

PUBLIC SERVICE ENTERPRISES

Cemeteries:

A. K. Hodgman, one-half of mowing cemeteries	\$ 22.50	
A. K. Hodgman, mowing Gee cemetery	5.00	
A. K. Hodgman, opening graves	14.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 41.50

UNCLASSIFIED

J. M. Barton, Legal Advice	\$ 19.00	
Hubert C. Hartwell, tax bought by town	14.18	
Running Lines:		
L. S. Hodgman	\$ 4.00	
Frederick Pollard	10.80	
Rush Chellis	56.40	
L. S. Hodgman	10.80	
Hugh Pollard	9.00	
A. L. Benway	12.00	
L. H. Nichols	12.00	
	<hr/>	\$ 115.00
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INTEREST

First National Bank	\$ 187.50	
First National Bank	187.50	
First National Bank	337.50	
First National Bank	64.79	
	<hr/>	\$ 777.29

STATE AID CONSTRUCTION

L. H. Nichols	\$ 50.00
H. C. Hartwell, Jr.	83.87
Richard Hartwell	37.60
Chester Hartwell	12.80
Howard Bishop	32.40
F. H. Hodgman	36.00
Joe Rowe	12.40
H. C. Hartwell, Sr.	61.33
F. M. Clark	62.13
F. A. Barton	6.67
Town of Lempster, use of tractor	30.00
Harold Hodgman	21.60
C. G. Baker	25.20
Myron Baker	18.00
Mark King	18.00
E. M. Hook	18.00
G. Straw	6.40
E. F. Cutler	60.00
Waino Wirkkala	60.00
Charles Horton	7.20
B. L. Horn, dynamite	17.50
W. D. Thurber	32.40
T. Wirkkala	10.80
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	\$ 720.30

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

E. F. Cutler and W. H. Horton, Patrolmen

E. F. Cutler	\$1,540.00
W. H. Horton	900.00
B. L. Horn, dynamite	20.00
A. V. Wright	40.69
C. E. Hathaway, gravel	4.60
A. St. Amant, gravel	23.70
C. H. Horton, gravel	.50
W. I. Hook, team	125.60
W. A. Perkins, team	273.60
L. H. Nichols, team	41.40
F. H. Hodgman, team	75.60
C. G. Baker, team	100.80
H. C. Hartwell, Sr., team	14.40
Use of town tractor	210.00
E. M. Smith, truck	202.67
E. P. Flint	54.80

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E. M. Hook	108.60
G. Perkins	32.40
E. Lewis	8.00
W. Blanchard	8.00
J. McDonald	8.00
W. F. Horton	93.60
H. C. Hartwell, Jr.	48.00
Express	.90
Freight on mixer	16.50
Freight on paint, culvert, hook	7.67
Silsby & Johnson, roofing and nails	62.89
Silsby & Johnson, oil and tools	20.05
Silsby & Johnson, hangers and tracks for store house	6.47
Silsby & Johnson, fixtures and labor on boiler	45.09
J. G. Sargent, lumber	34.86
V. H. Pollard, work on tool house	32.75
C. H. Horton	13.80
E. W. Barrow	59.20
C. H. Cragin	7.20
D. H. Bean	100.80
G. H. Straw	37.60
H. Hodgman	68.40
R. Hartwell	76.00
A. K. Hodgman	39.60
H. B. Nichols	46.80
M. C. Baker	46.80
F. M. Clark	25.20
Waino Wirkkala	14.40
M. King	21.60
Theodore Wirkkala	43.20
W. D. Thurber	28.80
T. F. Bluitte	1.30
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	\$4,793.11

TRUNK LINE MAINTENANCE

L. H. Nichols	\$ 72.00
E. M. Hook	40.40
Charles Horton	36.80
W. D. Thurber	57.60
Shirley Smith	36.00
Everett Thurber	25.20
H. C. Hartwell, Jr.	20.00

W. I. Hook	86.40	
H. C. Hartwell, Sr.	84.00	
Town of Lempster, use of tractor	30.00	
F. M. Clark	81.60	
Joe Rowe	21.60	
Dana Bean	30.00	
William Beavers	50.40	
Mark King	29.80	
Howard Bishop	28.80	
Richard Hartwell	21.60	
Hiram Bishop	28.60	
Eldred LaFrance	21.60	
Henry LaFrance	81.60	
Waino Wirkkala	78.00	
George Straw	25.20	
M. K. Olds	26.20	
E. P. Flint	26.80	
Ernest Johnson	18.00	
F. A. Barton	60.00	
E. F. Cutler	60.00	
O. Santti	60.00	
Elmer Chamberlain	46.80	
Myron Baker	28.80	
Susie B. Hurd	8.00	
W. P. Hodgman	64.80	
James Allen	3.60	
M. McDoo	21.60	
Herbert Magoon	18.00	
T. Wirkkala	3.60	
Harris Nichols	3.60	
F. H. Hodgman	7.20	
Mrs. G. C. Bassett	13.00	
Chaffee Bros.	10.24	
L. H. Nichols, use of auto	32.50	
		\$1,499.94
Arthur V. Wright	\$ 351.94	
		\$ 351.94

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

E. F. Cutler and W. H. Horton, Patrolmen

E. F. Cutler	\$ 322.00
W. H. Horton	172.00
E. M. Smith, truck	16.00
F. A. Barton, team	50.40

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M. C. Baker, team	39.60
W. I. Hook, team	14.40
Use of town tractor	25.56
W. F. Horton	1.20
H. Hartwell	10.22
E. G. Baker	3.60
E. W. Barrow	7.20
G. H. Straw	171.20
H. B. Nichols	14.40
A. K. Hodgman	14.40
F. H. Hodgman	7.20
F. M. Clark	7.20
W. D. Thurber	7.20

\$ 883.78

STATE AID MAINTENANCE

L. H. Nichols	\$ 87.20
Howard Bishop	36.00
Richard Hartwell	16.00
W. D. Thurber	54.80
F. H. Hodgman	28.80
Harold Hodgman	10.80
C. G. Baker	10.80
Myron Baker	18.00
Mark King	36.00
E. M. Hook	14.40
George Straw	25.20
Joe Rowe	21.60
F. M. Clark	167.60
Charles Horton	32.40
B. L. Horn, dynamite	20.00
H. C. Hartwell, Jr.	12.00
E. F. Cutler	120.00
H. C. Hartwell, Sr.	120.00
Waino Wirkkala	110.67
Town of Lempster, use of tractor	40.00
L. S. Hodgman	18.00
Frederick Pollard	18.00
E. P. Flint	3.25
Arthur St. Amant	39.60

\$1,061.12

TOWN ROAD MAINTENANCE

North District—Fred M. Clark, Agent

C. McLaughlin, labor and gravel	\$ 135.80
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Jack Mamby	7.20
Joe Rowe	128.80
William Horton	151.40
E. Chamberlain	125.90
John Favor	5.24
Harry Pollard	10.80
Howard Bishop	36.00
Hiram Bishop and William Beavers	32.40
Sam McAfee	7.20
Lawrence Hodgman	33.60
William Perkins, labor and gravel	26.10
A. L. Benway	25.20
H. C. Hartwell	12.00
Richard Hartwell	2.80
H. C. Hartwell, Jr.	7.75
Kenneth Holt	3.60
W. Wirkkala, labor, truck and dynamite	80.20
T. Wirkkala	14.40
F. A. Barton, gas	1.60
John Wheeler, sawing and gravel	4.25
Henry LaFrance and Sons	79.40
F. M. Clark, bridge stringers for 4 bridges	58.90
Mr. Johnson, cutting brush	18.00
Walker Bros., bridge plank and teaming	94.07
Chaffee Bros., bridge plank	35.70
F. M. Clark, labor and truck	264.82

\$1,401.13

MOUNTAIN DISTRICT

Frank H. Hodgman, Agent

Curtis Whipple	\$ 142.80
Burton Whipple	200.00
Harold Hodgman	187.80
Elmer Flint	.80
Arthur Hodgman	189.80
L. H. Nichols	51.40
M. King	40.20
Will Hodgman	175.60
Dan Derocke	18.00
Mrs. Bassett, gravel	7.00
Hubert Hartwell, Jr.	45.87
Richard Hartwell	39.60
F. A. Barton, gas	7.01
T. F. Bluitte, gas, oil and nails	32.33

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Harold Nichols	30.40
C. R. Andrews, sharpening tools	5.90
O. C. Huntley	50.40
Bert Winham	50.40
Max Namcy	17.90
Bert Smith, nails	.35
Waino Wirkkala	28.27
Horn Hardware, dynamite	19.70
L. Saltzgeber	21.60
I. H. Hodgman	10.80
L. H. Hodgman	7.20
Bernard Whipple	7.20
McDoe	3.60
Chaffee Bros., plank	100.96
Fellows & Sons, bridge timber	47.88
Frank Hodgman	374.20
Fred Clark	39.87
Joe Rowe	9.20
E. F. Cutler	30.67
M. K. Olds	3.60

\$1,998.31

SOUTH DISTRICT

Hubert C. Hartwell, Jr., Agent

Hubert C. Hartwell, Jr., truck and labor	\$ 421.04
Thomas F. Bluitte, gas	3.30
Dana Bean, gas	4.40
Will Perkins, lumber and gravel	8.10
C. G. Baker, gravel	1.80
Mrs. H. Samuels, gas	4.62
James Allen	7.20
Robert Pitkin	2.60
Sam McAfee	2.40
Fred M. Clark	9.10
E. P. Flint, sharpening tools	2.40
G. Straw	46.00
K. G. Holt	2.00
E. J. McAfee, gas	1.10
Susie B. Hurd's team	.80
A. C. Wade	3.15
Richard Hartwell	179.68
F. A. Barton, gas	44.53
Edward Hook	116.03

W. D. Thurber	32.40
W. Wirkkala	1.00
Shirley Smith	30.80
Chaffee Bros., lumber	51.17
New England Metal Culvert Co.	160.03
B. L. Horn, dynamite, caps and fuse	21.50
C. DeMars, gravel	3.00
Spikes	1.08
Hubert C. Hartwell, Sr., team and truck	86.93
Burton Whipple	21.60
Mark Allen	4.40
Howard Bishop	63.80
Harold Hodgman	21.60
Chester Hartwell	12.40
J. Southwick, gravel	4.00

\$1,376 23

GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY

Richard Hartwell, helping on tractor	\$ 4.40
Hubert Hartwell, Jr.	19.70
Richard Hartwell	9.20
Hubert Hartwell, Jr.	34.97
Richard Hartwell, helping on tractor	2.60
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., driving tractor	31.80
Richard Pollard, shovelling snow	1.20
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., driving tractor	13.29
T. I. Farmer, freight on road machine	60.71
T. I. Farmer, trucking road machine	5.00
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., labor on tractor	5.06
L. H. Nichols, freight on horsepole	6.38
J. B. Filleul & Sons, road machine	572.91
Richard Hartwell, driving tractor	14.40
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., sanding	6.40
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., driving tractor	14.40
Richard Hartwell, driving tractor	16.20
C. Schrenk, breaking roads	16.80
Frank Hodgman	9.60
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., driving tractor	3.60
Richard Hartwell, driving tractor	1.80

\$ 850.42

TRACTOR REPAIRS AND GAS

Thomas Riley	\$ 1.50
Ira Perkins, batteries	2.25

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C. W. Watson & Sons, repairs	3.75	
T. F. Bluitte, gas	26.65	
F. A. Barton, gas	55.17	
T. F. Bluitte, gas	7.73	
E. M. Smith, spark plugs	2.40	
E. P. Flint, labor	9.60	
Chester Hartwell, trucking repairs	10.00	
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., labor	14.05	
Chester Hartwell, labor	8.00	
Howard Bishop, labor	7.50	
C. W. Watson & Sons, repairs	377.01	
E. M. Smith, gas	1.10	
Richard Hartwell, labor	14.80	
Samuel McAfee, labor	3.00	
J. W. Johnson & Son, battery	10.75	
Allison Norton, labor	10.00	
S. S. Harris, oil and grease	40.30	
W. D. Thurber, expense of tractor	2.00	
T. F. Bluitte, gas	52.49	
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		\$ 660.05

PAYMENTS TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

H. B. Nichols, Treasurer	\$ 200.00	
H. B. Nichols, Treasurer	550.00	
H. B. Nichols, Treasurer	700.00	
H. B. Nichols, rent on school land	4.84	
H. B. Nichols, dog tax, 1928	122.40	
H. B. Nichols, Treasurer	1,265.59	
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Total Payments for All Purposes		\$2,842.83

LUCIUS H. NICHOLS,
 ARTHUR L. BENWAY,
 FRANK M. LOVEJOY,
 Selectmen.

REPORT OF TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

For Year Ending January 31, 1930

RECEIPTS

School Fund:		
Asa Way	\$ 18.06	
Henry Hurd	6.70	
	<hr/>	\$ 24.76
Cemetery Fund:		
James G. Hasley	\$ 12.12	
Charles Booth	20.20	
Duren S. Honey	6.06	
Almon Booth	4.04	
Frank B. Davis	3.02	
Leander Hill	8.08	
William T. Thissell	8.08	
Andrew J. Mitchell	4.04	
Minerva Gee	3.02	
Frank W. Huntoon	4.04	
Duren S. Honey	6.06	
	<hr/>	\$ 78.76
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		\$103.52
Unexpended January 31, 1929		194.28
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Total Receipts		\$297.80

EXPENDITURES

Lempster School District	\$ 24.76	
One-half mowing cemetery	22.50	
Labor in cemetery	17.20	
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Unexpended Income		\$233.34

WHERE FUNDS ARE INVESTED

School Fund:

Asa Way,	
Newport Savings Bank	\$447.50

Henry Hurd,	
Newport Savings Bank	166.66

Cemetery Fund:

James G. Hasley,	
Newport Savings Bank	300.00

Charles Booth,	
Newport Savings Bank	500.00

Duren S. Honey,	
Newport Savings Bank	150.00

Almon Booth,	
Newport Savings Bank	100.00

Frank B. Davis,	
Newport Savings Bank	75.00

Leander Hill	
Newport Savings Bank	200.00

William T. Thissell,	
Newport Savings Bank	200.00

Andrew J. Mitchell,	
Newport Savings Bank	100.00

Minerva Gee,	
Newport Savings Bank	75.00

Frank W. Huntoon,	
Newport Savings Bank	100.00

Duren S. Honey,	
Sugar River Savings Bank	150.00

ARTHUR L. BENWAY,
CHARLES F. CLARK,
LUCIUS H. NICHOLS,

Trustees

REPORT OF OVERSEER OF POOR

Aid for Mrs. Emma Miller:

Paid George R. Gassett for board from		
Feb. 2 to March 2, 4 weeks	\$ 12.00	
From March 2 to Sept. 4, 26½ weeks	79.50	
From Sept. 7 to Nov. 3, 8 weeks	24.00	
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		\$115.50

March Settlement:

Received and paid Town Treasurer	\$ 82.50
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September Settlement:

Received and paid Town Treasurer	79.50	
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		\$161.00

Aid for Mr. and Mrs. Mark King:

Paid H. B. Frye, cutting and hauling		
wood	\$ 4.50	
Paid M. K. Olds, cutting wood	3.20	
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		\$ 7.70

Due from County

\$ 31.70

Aid for Sarah E. Straw:

Paid Nellie Davis, board and care	\$ 53.00	
Inquisition	10.00	
E. J. Stone, M. D.	2.00	
Jacob Wanner, trip to Concord	10.00	
Jacob Wanner, trip to Claremont and		
Newport	5.00	
Argus Champion, Guardian Notice	2.00	
H. A. Hanaford, M. D.	5.00	
A. S. Marden, M. D.	5.00	
Register of Probate	2.50	
Expense at Concord	5.00	
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		\$ 99.50

Aid for Mr. and Mrs. George R. Gassett:

Paid George Lunnie, meat and groceries	\$ 32.12
William Robb, M. D.	28.00
W. D. Thurber, potatoes	1.75
Mina Shanks, 10 cords wood	10.00
Guy E. Currier, cutting 10 cords wood	30.00

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Drawing wood	4.00	
Hubert Hartwell, Jr., sawing wood	2.00	
Sam McAfee, sawing wood	2.60	
E. M. Smith, supplies	123.46	
F. A. Barton, 145½ qts. milk	14.55	
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		\$248.48
Paid C. G. Baker, wood for tramp house	\$ 4.00	
Paid for care of tramps	50.00	
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		\$ 54.00
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Total		\$525.18

A. L. BENWAY, Overseer of Poor

REPORT OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES

For Year Ending January 31, 1930

RECEIPTS

Cash on hand January 31, 1929	\$36.96	
Town appropriation	50.00	
Fines	.40	
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		\$87.36

EXPENDITURES

Hallie Holt, services as librarian	\$ 5.50	
E. J. McAfee, broom	.85	
Lillian Hartwell, rearranging books	2.40	
Conchita Hodgman, rearranging books	2.80	
Frank Lovejoy, printed library cards	5.00	
Charlie Clark, new books	20.00	
Lillian Hartwell, services as librarian	19.00	
Lillian Hartwell, kerosene	.40	
Lillian Hartwell, arranging new books	.40	
Harold B. Nichols, rearranging books	2.80	
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		\$59.15
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Balance on hand January 31, 1930		\$28.21

RESOURCES

Number of bound volumes at beginning of year	1,861
Books discarded	25
Books bought	26
Total circulation for the year	288

HAROLD B. NICHOLS,
CONCHITA I. HODGMAN,
CHARLES F. CLARK,

Library Trustees.

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REPORT OF JANITOR, UNION HALL

May 18	1 gallon gas	\$.20
	1 gallon kerosene	.20
June 28	Silsby & Johnson, for Arc light globes	6.75
Aug. 20	6 lamp chimneys	.96
	1 gallon kerosene	.20
	1 corn broom	.80
Nov. 11	1 damper for stove pipe	.25
	Cleaning vault	1.00
	Putting glass in window	.40
	Gas mantles	.40

 \$11.16

May 18	Rent for hall	\$3.00
	Janitor services	2.00
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	Due the town	\$1.00

SAMUEL S. HARRIS, Janitor.

JANITOR'S REPORT OF TOWN HALL

Received for dances held	\$45.00
Janitor services	30.00
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Balance due town	\$15.00
Paid for Supplies:	
Gas	\$ 1.05
Mantles	.35
Broom	.60
Wood	10.00
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	\$12.00

LUCIUS H. NICHOLS, Janitor.

I certify that I have examined the accounts of the Selectmen, Treasurer, Clerk, Tax Collector and other town officers and find them correct and accompanied by proper vouchers.

SUSIE B. HURD, Auditor.

SCHOOL REPORT

— OF —

LEMPSTER, NEW HAMPSHIRE



1928

1929

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the Members of the Lempster School Board:

I, herewith, submit my fifth annual report as superintendent of your schools.

Schools are established that children may acquire knowledge of the fundamental operations by which they must earn their livelihood and take their places as members and leaders of society. Believing that scholarship is the basis of a good school and that it should be given all encouragement possible, there was instituted last year a scholarship contest in which all grammar schools of this union were represented. Each school sent one or two teams of three pupils each to Charlestown on the appointed day—not to engage in play or a good time but to take examinations in arithmetic, history, reading and geography. No prizes were offered, the only reward being the honor of representing the school. I am sure the interest shown by the contestants and their schools answered the criticism sometimes heard that pupils now-a-days do not care for scholarship.

Financially, the district is strong, with each year's budget balanced. This makes possible a continuous and healthy advancement in the efficiency of your schools. The health work of the schools is now on a more business-like basis with a registered nurse employed at a yearly salary. She is as truly a part of the school system as is any official. She is on call at all times during the school year. She is to be here when needed—not during a continuous two weeks necessarily. It means a more careful watch over the pupils, more frequent visits, more home calls and a general supervision of health conditions at all times.

A recent movement in Education is the broadcasting of courses of study under the direction of the United States commissioner of Education. The first series of courses started Feb. 4 and consists of broadcasts twice weekly, of history and English lessons for the upper grammar grades. The time will soon be here when a rural school will be out-of-date that is not equipped with a good radio. The music appreciation courses of

the city of New York schools are broadcast directly from the New York class rooms. A radio in school would bring to the pupils of Lempster exactly the same work as the children of that rich city enjoy. In towns where school budgets must be watched closely school boards will be hesitant about installing radios. It is here that an opportunity is offered to the large number of citizens, who are interested in the schools, to show this interest in a way that will add much to the efficiency of those schools and a refining and broadening influence into the lives of the pupils.

After fifteen years as teacher and superintendent in the schools of New Hampshire, I am convinced that the pupils today, are, as a whole, more serious minded, more earnest in their efforts and more direct in their thinking than the pupils of former years. Because of this fact there has been instituted in this district "three-party conferences." By this system examinations, lessons, problems of administration and discipline are talked over, no longer apart from the pupils, but with them. The schools are not administered for the pupils nor, on the other hand are they administered by them. The schools are administered with the pupils. The pupils are shown the difficulties, they recognize their problems, analyze them and work intelligently for their solution—in conjunction with their teachers. This is training for democracy.

Specific recommendations are two:

Chemical toilets should be installed in all schools.

The grounds of the "Street School" should be drained.

Once again it is my privilege to express my appreciation for the co-operation and valuable advice of the Lempster School Board.

Respectfully submitted,

ROY W. GILLMORE,

Superintendent of Schools.

STATISTICAL REPORT

(1928-1929)

Number of schools in session during the year	3
Number of teachers employed during the year	4
Number of boys, not elsewhere registered	15
Number of girls, not elsewhere registered	22
Number registered elsewhere in state	13
Total registration	50
Half days schools were in session	360
Half days lost	0
Aggregate attendance	12,674
Aggregate absence	646
Average attendance	35.2
Average absence	1.82
Average membership	37.02
Per cent of attendance	95.08
Pupils not absent or tardy during the year	5
Cases of tardiness	57
School Board meetings held	11
Visits of superintendent of schools	59
Visits of citizens	59

FINANCIAL REPORT

Receipts

Town for support of elementary schools	\$2,173.69
Town for high school tuition	448.90
Town for salaries of district officers	95.00
Town for per capita tax	98.00
Town for dog licenses	119.90
Town for rent of school land	4.84
Town, special appropriation for painting school	60.00
State Treasury, Equalization Fund	2,983.86
Income from trust funds	24.76
Income from supplies sold	4.08

Total Receipts	\$6,013.03
Cash on hand at beginning of year	657.76

\$6,670.79

Payments

Salaries of District Officers	\$ 95.00
Superintendent's excess salary	128.58
Truant Officer	5.00
Enumeration cards	1.35
Expense of administration	43.28
Teachers' salaries	2,772.66
Text books	82.18
Supplies	195.69
Other expenses of instruction	11.73
Janitor service	108.60
Janitors' supplies	6.40
Fuel	109.00
Minor repairs and expenses	538.12
Medical inspection	58.42
Transportation	1,211.00
High school tuition	448.90
Other special activities	232.00
Per Capita Tax	98.00
Error of town, (overpayment)	100.00

\$6,245.91

DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

Salaries of District Officers

Ada B. Wanner, Chairman School Board	\$ 35.00
Susie B. Hurd, School Board	20.00
Conchita I. Hodgman, School Board	20.00
Harold B. Nichols, Treasurer	15.00
Susie B. Hurd, Clerk	5.00
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	\$ 95.00
Superintendent's excess salary	\$ 128.58
Truant Officer	\$ 5.00
Enumeration cards	1.35
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	6.35

Expenses of Administration

F. A. Barton, Moderator	\$ 3.00
J. F. Wheeler, Auditor	2.00
S. B. Hurd, auto and driver to School Board Conference	4.00
Jacob Wanner, transportation of School Board to Union meeting	3.00
Jacob Wanner, transportation of School Board to Institute	4.00
Jacob Wanner, transportation of School Board in Bumford and Delphond cases	4.00
S. B. Hurd, telephone and postage	3.55
R. Gillmore, expenses of School Board to Keene	5.20
E. C. Eastman, vouchers	7.18
Ada Wanner, telephone	2.55
Harold Hodgman, measuring road	3.00
Harold Nichols, postage	1.80
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	\$ 43.28

Teachers' Salaries

Gertrude Hersey, 36 weeks	\$ 900.00
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Susie Benway, 35 weeks, 3 days	939.44
Gladys Town, 20 weeks, 4 days	546.25
Dorothy Emerson, 13 weeks, 1½ days	350.97
Marion Russell, substitute, 2 weeks	28.00
Susie B. Hurd, substitute, 2 days	8.00

 \$2,772.66

Text Books

Arlo Publishing Co.	\$ 6.67
McMillan Co.	9.53
J. B. Taylor	14.65
Ginn & Co.	13.50
Lyons & Carnahan	9.64
Scott & Foresman	16.61
Beckley-Cardy Co.	3.41
Milton Bradley Co.	5.74
World Book Co.	2.43

 \$ 82.18

Supplies

Ryan-Baker, Inc.	\$.86
Bellows Falls Paper Co.	18.80
Milton Bradley Co.	128.98
Kenney Bros. & Wolkins	6.17
S. B. Hurd	2.65
J. Wanner, express	1.00
Rand, McNally Co.	37.23

 \$ 195.69

Other Expenses of Instruction

World Book Co., tests	\$ 7.73
S. S. Harris, conveyance to final tests	4.00

 \$ 11.73

Janitor Service

Gertrude Hersey	\$ 36.00
Harris Nichols	35.00
Waino Wirkkala	36.60
Gladys Town	1.00

 \$ 108.60

Janitor's Supplies

Thomas Bluitte	\$ 5.23
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E. M. Smith	1.17
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	\$ 6.40

Fuel

Clifton Baker, hauling kindling	\$ 3.00
J. F. Wheeler, kindling	1.00
C. G. Baker, 3½ cords wood for Street	35.00
Lucius Nichols, 3½ cords wood for East	35.00
Waino Wirkkala, 3½ cords wood for Cragin	35.00
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	\$ 109.00

Minor Repairs and Expenses

Minnie Flint, cleaning Street and Cragin schools	\$ 6.00
Charlotte Harris, cleaning East Lempster school	8.00
Conchita Hodgman, cleaning East Lempster school	8.00
S. S. Harris, painting and repairing Street school	76.45
S. S. Harris, repairing interior of East Lempster school and material for same	24.10
S. B. Hurd, man oiling floors and cleaning vaults	3.75
Elmer Flint, repairing seat and cleaning vaults	1.75
Kenneth Holt, putting in seats at East Lempster	2.00
S. S. Harris, setting glass and putting in ink-wells	7.52
S. B. Hurd, window panes for East Lempster	.55
S. B. Hurd, repair fund	400.00
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	\$ 538.12

Medical Inspection

Hallie Holt, conveying school nurse	\$ 7.00
Alta McDonald, nurse, fall inspection	36.42
Alta McDonald, nurse, spring examination	15.00
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	\$ 58.42

Transportation

W. I. Hook	\$ 360.00
Jacob Wanner	360.00
Josie Horton	270.00
Frank Hodgman	116.00
Charles Delphond	105.00
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	\$1,211.00

High School Tuition

Louise Nichols, Newport High	\$ 89.50
Martha Thurber, Keene High	85.40
Catherine Rowe, Claremont High	85.00
Madelyn Rowe, Claremont High	85.00
Margaret Olds, Keene High	52.00
Malcolm Olds, Keene High	52.00
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	\$ 448.90

Other Special Activities

Keene Normal School, music teacher	\$ 200.00
Hallie Holt, transportation of music teacher	29.00
Avis Currier, transportation of music teacher	3.00
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	\$ 232.00

Per Capita Tax

State Treasurer	\$ 98.00
Error of Town, overpayment	\$ 100.00

SCHOOL TREASURER'S REPORT

For the Year Ending June 30, 1929

Receipts

Balance in the Treasury, July 1, 1928	\$ 657.76
Sept. 27, 1928, Charlestown School District, arithmetic paper	4.08
Sept. 29, 1928, Lucy E. Smith, Town Treasurer	100.00
Oct. 27, 1928, Lucy E. Smith, Town Treasurer	550.00
Nov. 22, 1928, Lucy E. Smith, Town Treasurer	700.00
Dec. 15, 1928, State Treasurer, Education Equalization	2,707.34
Jan. 17, 1929, State Treasurer, Education Equalization	276.52
Feb. 6, 1929, Arthur L. Benway, interest on school funds	24.76
Feb. 6, 1929, Lucy E. Smith, Town Treasurer	1,525.59
Feb. 6, 1929, Lucy E. Smith, dog licenses	119.90
Feb. 6, 1929, Lucy E. Smith, rent on school lands	4.84
Total Receipts during year	\$6,670.79
Orders of the School Board paid	6,245.91
Balance on hand, June 30, 1929	\$ 424.88

HAROLD B. NICHOLS, Treasurer.

RECOMMENDATIONS OF SCHOOL BOARD

The School Board recommends the following sums for the support of schools to the amount of \$5.00 per \$1,000 on equalized valuation, for the school year beginning July 1, 1930.

Teachers' salaries	\$2,850.00
Text books	75.00
Scholars' supplies	75.00
Flags and appurtenances	5.00

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Other expenses of instruction	75.00
Janitors' services	108.00
Fuel	120.00
Water, lights and janitors' supplies	20.00
Minor repairs and expenses	75.00
Health supervision	75.00
Special activities, including music	275.00
Transportation of pupils	1,350.00

\$5,103.00

Other Statutory Requirements

Salaries District Officers	\$ 100.00
Truant Officer and enumeration	6.20
High school tuition	500.00
Superintendent's excess salary	128.58
Per Capita Tax	120.00

\$ 854.78

Estimated Income of District

Balance June 30, 1930	\$ 300.00
State Aid (December 1930)	2,808.00
Dog taxes	100.00
Income from trust funds	24.76
Other income	15.00

\$3,247.76

Total support of schools	\$5,957.78
Total estimated income	\$3,247.76
Assessment required to balance budget	\$2,710.02

Respectfully submitted,

SUSIE B. HURD,
CONCHITA I. HODGMAN,
ADA B. WANNER,

School Board

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I hereby certify that I have examined the reports and the accounts of the School Board and Treasurer and find them correct.

JOHN F. WHEELER, Auditor

VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTH REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LEMPSTER, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

Date of Birth 1929	Place of Birth	Name of Child	Sex	Condition	No. of Children	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color Parents	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother
Jan. 29	Hanover	Lucille Carmi	F	L	7	W	Harry Frye	Ruth Barton	W	E. Lempster	Farmer	Hartford, Vt.	Croydon

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LEMPSTER, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1929

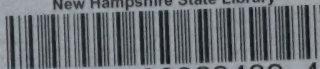
Date of Death	Place of Death	Name of Deceased	Years	Months	Days	Place of Birth	Color	Sex	Mar.	Wid.	Occupation	Birthplace of Mother	Birthplace of Father	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
Jan. 20	Lempster	Gershon C. Bassett	85	10		Orrington, Me.	M	W	M		Retired	Orrington, Me.	Orrington, Me.	John S. Bassett	Sylvia Wood
Mar. 11	Lempster	Arthur Wilson	86	6	7	Lempster	M	W	W		Retired	Mason	Ashby, Mass.	James Wilson	Eliza Mackay
June 20	Lempster	William P. Hodgman	39	8	23	Lempster	M	W	M		Farmer	Henniker	Henniker	Cyrus H. Hodgman	Nancy E. Roberts
Jan. 18	Boston, Mass.	Walter E. Felch	72			Henniker	M	W	D		Minister	Lempster	Goshen	Walter Felch	Lucetta Monroe
July 27	Newport	Kimball Pollard	90	7	22	Lempster	M	W	W		Retired	Lempster	Goshen	Truman Pollard	Almira Baker

There was no Marriage, in the Town of Lempster, during the year 1929.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL S. HARRIS, TOWN CLERK.

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